& Cosmetics Rules do not lay down specific time limit for testing and reporting of sample drawn. However, samples drawn are analysed before the date of expiry, if any, and then reported. Information regarding name of the medicines, Sera and Vaccines withdrawn from the market, names of the manufacturer etc. whose licences are suspended by State Drugs Controllers etc. is not available with the Government.

Statement

Samples tested etc. by Central Drugs Lab., Calcutta during the last 3 years.

Year	Total No. of Samples tested	No. of samples Declared Sub-standard
1983-84	4652	749 (16.10%)
1984-85	4433	584 (13.39%)
1985-86	3892	644 (65.54%)

Departmental promotions in the Unani System of I.S.M. Division

2442. SHRI RASHEED MASOOD: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any departmental promotions have been made from amongst the officials in the Unani system of I.S.M. Division in the ministry; and

(b) if so, whether appointment of the officials have been made, and if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) On the recommendation of the Departmental Promotion Committee, the Research Assistant (Unani) working in ISM Division was appointed as Research Officer (Unani) against the vacant post in Pharmacopoeial Laboratory for Indian Medicine, Ghaziabad which is under the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. However, the person concerned did not join the post of Research Officer (Unani) at Ghaziabad inspite of granting him extension of time several times for joining the post in that Laboratory.

Misuse of Loan Licensing Facilities in Drug Manufacturing

2443. SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the drug manufacturing companies having their own manufacturing facilities and testing laboratories which have obtained loan licences in favour of Small Scale Units in the State of Maharashtra, Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh, who do not possess complete testing laboratories;

(b) the name of each brand of formulation alongwith composition of each;

(c) whether it is a fact that these companies are misusing the loan licencing system; and

(d) what was the reason for granting loan licences to these companies which possess their own manufacturing units?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) to (d) Under the provisions of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act drug manufacturing licences are issued by the State

Drugs Control Authorities as per Part VII drug rules 68 to 85 of the Drugs and Cosmetics Rules. According to these rules all the drug manufacturing units including small scales units are required to possess necessary testing laboratory.

State Drugs Controllers are the licencing authority for grant of manufacturing and loan licences and as such information is not available with the Central Government. Government has not received any report regarding misuse of loan licences.

Administrative control in CGHS

2444. SHRI BHAGATRAM MANHAR: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the C.G.H.S. dispensaries of the Allopathic system of medicine under different zones are under different administrative control, if so, the details in this regard;

(b) whether Government propose to put the Ayurvedic/Unani dispensaries/units in different zones for administrative control in the near future;

(c) if so, by when; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) to (d) Dispensaries under allopathic system as well as dispensaries/Units under Ayurvedic and Homoeopathic system are functioning under the administrative control of different zones in CGHS Delhi. Detailed list is enclosed. [*See* Appendix CXLI, Annexure No. 115]. Due to administrative convenience one Unani dispensary and two Unani Units are functioning under the Central zone and at present no proposal to place them under different zones is under consideration.

Determination of essential drugs

2445. SHRI BASUDEB MOHAPATRA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have set up a high power expert committee to determine the list of essential drugs in category II; and

(b) whether the said committee has submitted the recommendations and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) According to the information received from the Ministry of Industry, Department of Chemicals & Petro-chemicals, a High Power Expert Committee has been set up for this purpose.

(b) No, Sir.

Surrender of employee in C.G.H.S. Dispensary Shahdara, Delhi

2446. SHRI SHARAD YADAV: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether CGHS is empowered to surrender a particular employee from a dispensary without surrendering/lapsing the post;

(b) whether any such employee was surrendered to Deputy Director North Zone Shankar Road by CMO, CGHS Dispensary, Shahadara, Delhi without obtaining permission from the competent authority; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof and what action has been taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) No administrative powers to surrender an